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Academic Positions

2020- Present

Assistant Professor
Weber State University
Criminal Justice Department

2018- 2020

Assistant Professor
College of Western Idaho
Department of Public Safety

2015- 2017

Instructor
College of Western Idaho
Department of Social and Human Relations

2013-2015

Instructor
North Dakota State University
Department of Criminal Justice and Political Science

Education

2015

Ph.D. Criminal Justice
North Dakota State University
Dept. of Criminal Justice and Political Science
Fargo, ND 58108
Dissertation: *A Big Deal: Examining Routine Activities Variables Related to Sexual Victimization on the College Campus*

2010

M.S. Criminal Justice
Weber State University
Dept. of Criminal Justice
Ogden, UT 84403

2009

B.S. Sociology, Minor-Criminal Justice
Weber State University
Dept. of Sociology
Ogden, UT 84403

Areas of Research Interest

- Sexual victimization/Stalking/Crimes against women
- Violence prevention / Help-seeking behaviors
- Victimology/Survivorology/Criminological Theory

Courses Taught

Weber State University

CJ 3300- Victimology: (Online, Hybrid)
CJ 3270- Theories of Crime and Delinquency: (Online, Hybrid, Virtual)
CJ 1010- Introduction to Criminal Justice: (Online, Virtual, Hybrid, Traditional)
CJ 4900- Death Penalty (Online)
HNRS 3900- Sexual Assault Offenders and Survivors (Traditional)
MCJ 6255 Great Thoughts: Writings from Prison (Online)
MCJ 6080- Media and Crime: (Online)
MCJ 6250- Punishment and Society: (Online)
MCJ 6230- Contemporary Corrections: (Online)

College of Western Idaho

CRIJ 280- Victimology: (Traditional, Online, Hybrid)
CRIJ 270- Criminology: (Traditional, Online, Hybrid)
CRIJ 101- Introduction to Criminal Justice: (Traditional, Online, Hybrid)
CRIJ 104- Introduction to Corrections: (Online)
CRIJ 103- Introduction to Law and Justice: (Traditional, Online)
SOC 102- Social Problems: (Traditional)
PSYC 190- Writing for the Social Sciences (Online)

North Dakota State University

CJ 201- Introduction to Criminal Justice: (Traditional, Online)
CJ 225- Punishment and the Death Penalty: (Online)

Peer Reviewed Publications

Wood, M. (2022). What causes Criminality? Sociological, Biological and Psychological Theories. pp.117-127 Gaudet, K. S. (Ed.). (2022). What is a Criminal?: Answers From Inside the US Justice System. Taylor & Francis.

Wood, M., & Darais, M. (2022). Education, preparation, and moral obligation: An examination of hospital employee role in active shooter training response. *Journal of Community Safety and Well-Being*, 7(1), 20-26.

Wood, M., & Breach, S. R. (2021). Assessing the Impact of a High Impact Practice: Implementing a Criminal Justice Shared Learning Experience Using the True Crime Podcast Serial. *Journal of Criminal Justice Education*, 1-14.

- Darais, M., & **Wood, M.** (2019). Employee variables influencing ‘Run Hide Fight’ policy knowledge retention and perceptions of preparedness in the hospital setting. *Crime Prevention and Community Safety*, 21(12), 1-13.
- Stichman, A. J., **Wood, M.**, & Watson, A. A. (2019). Assessing Student Attitudes Toward Sexual Assault by Using a Mock Trial. *Journal of Criminal Justice Education*, 30(1), 1-21
- Wood, M.**, & Stichman, A. (2018). Stalking on the college campus: The influence of suitable target and guardianship variables on victimization comparing male and female students. *Victims & Offenders*, 13(4), 487-503.
- Wood, M.** (2017). Making and Breaking Careers: Reviewing Law Enforcement Hiring Requirements and Disqualifiers. *Journal of Criminal Justice Education*, 1-18.
- Wood, M.**, & Stichman, A. (2016). Not a big deal? Examining help-seeking behaviors of sexually victimized women on the college campus. *International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology*, 0306624X16683225.
- Wood, M.** & Archbold, C.A. (2015). Bad Touches, Getting Away, and Never Keeping Secrets: Assessing Student Knowledge Retention of the "Red Flag Green Flag People" Program. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*, 30(17), 2999-3021.
- Archbold, C. A., Dahle, T. O., Fangman, M., Wentz, E., & **Wood, M.** (2013). Newspaper Accounts of Racial Profiling Accurate Portrayal or Perpetuation of Myth? *Race and Justice*, 3(4), 300-320.

Professional Presentations (*indicates presentation with student)

- 2023** Max Shuman* and **McKenzie Wood** “Variables that Impact Life or Death: Examining Suicide and Suicide Attempts in a Local County Jail.” Poster presentation at the Western Association of Criminal Justice annual conference in Spokane, Washington on Oct. 11. (This presentation won second place in the student poster competition.)
- 2023** Raissa Rohbock* and **McKenzie Wood** “Periods and Pregnancy in the Penitentiary: An Examination of the Female Prison Experience.” Presented at the International Association of Maternal Action and Scholarship annual conference, virtual, March 11.
- 2021** **McKenzie Wood** “Nursing New Ideas and Doctoring Policy: Examining Hospital Employee Role in Active Shooter Training Response.” Presented at Western Association of Criminal Justice annual conference, virtual, Oct. 13.

- 2019** **McKenzie Wood** and Mallory Darais “Doctoring Active Shooter Trainings to Fit the Hospital Setting: An Analysis of Health Care Employee Knowledge Retention of ‘Run Hide Fight’ Policies” Presented at the Western Association of Criminal Justice annual conference, Coeur d’Alene, ID, Oct. 9
- 2019** Mallory Darais and **McKenzie Wood*** “Emerging Hazards: Examining Hospital Preparation for Active Shooter/Armed Intruder Situations” Presented at the Iowa Trauma Conference, Des Moines, IA, Aug. 28.
**Invited general session speaker and facilitator, received honorarium*
- 2017** **McKenzie Wood** and Stephanie Breach “Implementing a Shared Learning Experience: Barriers and successes to using a popular podcast to connect Criminal Justice students” Presented at the Western Association of Criminal Justice annual conference, Spokane, WA, Oct. 5.
- 2016** **McKenzie Wood** “Making and Breaking Careers: Reviewing Law Enforcement Hiring Requirements and Disqualifiers” Presented at the Western Association of Criminal Justice annual conference, Las Vegas, NV, Oct. 12.
- 2014** **McKenzie Wood** and Amy Stichman “Sexual victimization on a college campus: Applying routine activities theory to sexual assault, coercion, and stalking” Presented at the American Society of Criminology annual conference, San Francisco, CA. November 20.
- 2014** **McKenzie Wood** “Where, When, and Who: Examining Situational Variables Related to Sexual Assaults and Coercion on the College Campus” Presented at the Midwestern Criminal Justice Association annual conference, Chicago, IL. September 27.
- 2012** Carol A. Archbold, Tod Dahle, Melinda Fangman, Ericka Wentz, and **McKenzie Wood** “Media Portrayal of Racial Profiling” Presented at American Society of Criminology annual conference, Chicago, IL. November 15.
- 2012** **McKenzie Wood** and Carol A. Archbold “Bad Touches, Getting Away, and Never Keeping Secrets: An Evaluation of the Efficacy of the Red Flag Green Flag People Program” Presented at American Society of Criminology annual conference, Chicago, IL. November 15.

Technical Presentations (*indicates presentation with student)

- 2023** **McKenzie Wood** and Max Shuman* “Report: Suicide and Suicide Attempts in the Davis County Jail” Presented at Davis County Sheriff’s Office Senior Staff meeting, Sept. 12.
- 2020** Mallory Darais and **McKenzie Wood** “Emerging Hazards: Examining Hospital Preparation for Active Shooter/Armed Intruder Situations” Presented to IHC, Logan Regional administration and hospital safety, Oct. 14.

Research Positions

- 2013-2015** North Dakota State University, *Research Assistant*
- 2012** Minnesota Clay County Collaborative, *Data Analyst*
- 2011-2012** *Program Evaluator* for Fargo-Moorhead Rape and Abuse Crisis Center

Service to the School

- Fall 2023-Present** *Weber State University*
General Education Course Fellow
- Fall 2023-Present** *Weber State University*
Director, Master of Criminal Justice program
- Fall 2023** *Weber State University*
Chair of department Peer Review committees
- Fall 2021- Present** Weber State University
Liaison, Department of Criminal Justice Concurrent Enrollment
- Fall 2021- Present** *Weber State University*
ASSA Committee (Vice chair of the committee beginning Fall 2023)
- Fall 2020-2023** *Weber State University- Criminal Justice Department*
Masters of Criminal Justice Admissions Committee
- Fall 2020-Spring 2021** *Weber State University*
Eddie’s BBQ Committee (improving student and police relations)
- Fall 2020-Spring 2021** *Weber State University- Criminal Justice Department*
Department of Criminal Justice Faculty Hiring Committee

Service to Community

Fall 2021- Present

Davis County Sherriff's Department
Life Safety Committee

Certificates and Accolades

- April, 2023 Joseph and Holly Nye Bauman Outstanding Faculty in Honors Award (Co-awarded with Dr. Kathryn Sperry)
- 2022 Weber State University Eccles Honor Fellowship (Co-awarded with Dr. Kathryn Sperry)
- 2020 College of Western Idaho *Innovation in Action- Scholarship of Application* award recipient
- Darkness to Light's Stewards of Children Certificate of Completion (Awarded Oct. 14, 2019)
- Northwest Institute for Dispute Resolution Basic Civil Mediation certificate (Awarded May 17, 2019)
- March 2018- *College of Western Idaho* Faculty of Distinction
- Idaho Education Credential- Post-secondary specialist (Sociology, 6-12) (Awarded June, 2019, valid until August, 2024)

Internal Grant Awards

- Awarded College of Social and Behavioral Sciences Professional Development Grant (PDG) to participate in the INSIDE OUT Prison Exchange Program Training (Nov. 2022- participated in training June, 2023) (awarded \$1,000)
- Co-awarded Weber State University Interdisciplinary Grant Award (with Dr. Kathryn Sperry (June 9, 2023) (\$1,000)

Journal/Book Reviewer

- *Victims and Offenders*
- *Journal of School Violence*
- *Journal of Family Violence*
- *Victimology: The Essentials* (3rd Edition), Daigle, L.
- *Violence Against Women*
- *Criminal Justice Education*
- *Criminal Justice Behavior*
- *Health Education Research*
- *Journal of Public Health Research*

Professional Affiliations

- American Society of Criminology
- Western Association of Criminal Justice
- International Association of Maternal Action and Scholarship- IAMAS (Board Member)
- Midwest Criminal Justice Association
- Alpha Kappa Delta- Sociology National Honor Society